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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION of

Applicants: Eduardo J. Moura, et al      Group Art Unit: 2603

Appln. No. 08/426,920      Examiner: S. Hom

Filed: April 21, 1995

For: Asymmetric Hybrid Access  
System and Method

August 16, 1996

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DRAWING CHANGE AUTHORIZATION REQUEST

Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
& Trademarks  
Washington, D.C., 20231

Sir,

It is respectfully requested that Applicant be  
permitted to amend Figures 3, 7, 8, 10, 12, 15 and 16 as  
indicated in red on the attached sheets.

Respectfully submitted,  
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Group Art Unit: 2603  
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Sir:

**RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER**

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes the herewith attachment of same date and subject which is incorporated herewith by reference and the signature below is to be treated as the signature to the attachment in absence of a signature thereto.

**FEE REQUIREMENTS FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

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3. Independent Claims		* 23	***minus 23 =	0	x \$78/\$39 =	+	102/202
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9. If Terminal Disclaimer attached, add Rule 20(d) official fee . . . . .					+\$110/\$55=	+	148/248
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or if Rule 97(d) Petition, . . . . . add					+\$130 =	+	122
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12. No. of additional inventions for examination per Rule 129(b): . . . . .					x\$750/375ea=	+	149/249
13. Petition fee for						+	
14. TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED =						\$-0-	

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 This CHARGE STATEMENT does not authorize charge of the issue fee until/unless an issue fee transmittal sheet is filed.

Query: Is appeal deadline now? If so,  
 file Notice of Appeal separately.

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